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Re: Application of:

Docket No. 03500.014963.

MASAMI KATO ET AL.

Application No.: 09/726,022

Examiner: A. Abdulsalam

Filed: November 30, 2000

Group Art Unit: 2674

For: CONTROL APPARATUS OF VIRTUAL COMMON
SPACE USING COMMUNICATION LINE

Date: March 28, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | (4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | * 8 | MINUS | ** 20 | = 0 | x \$25 \$50 | 0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | * 3 | MINUS | *** 5 | = 0 | x \$100 \$200 | 0 |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145°/\$290 | | | | | | |
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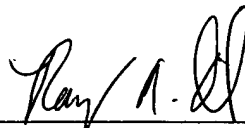
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- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the fee for a _____-month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 27, 2004 (March 27, 2005 being a Sunday), please amend the above-identified application as follows, the claim changes being reflected in the listing that begins at page 2, and the Remarks beginning at page 6:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on

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RAYMOND A. DIPERNA (Reg. No. 44,063)

(Name of Attorney for Applicant)

Signature

March 28, 2005

Date of Signature